

IDLE CHATTER Mark II

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This newsletter is an initiative of the Quandialla Centenary Committee

Sponsored by Peter & Donna Feuerstein

Congratulations to Kate Kelly
Winner of the Grenfell Lions Youth of the Year Quest 2015

This quest is a community project that aims to assist secondary students in developing leadership and other citizenship qualities. The public speaking segment accounted for 20% of the marks with the remaining 80% being allocated from their performance at their interview and information supplied on their entry forms.

Kate was announced overall winner and was also successful winning the Public Speaking segment of the Quest.

On behalf of all Idle Chatter Readers I would like to pass on our congratulations – *Well Done Kate*



The Executive of the Centenary Committee extends an invitation to attend

“The End of Centenary Celebration BBQ”

If you helped in any way prior to or on Quandialla’s special weekend please accept the following invitation.

When: Saturday 6th December 2014

Time: 7.00 pm

Where: Bland Hotel

Cost: Purchase of your own refreshments

Special Request: Ladies please bring a Salad to share – The Centenary Committee will supply meat etc for the evening.

QUANDIALLA ‘The First 100 Years’

The second print of our History Book has arrived. I have been very busy packaging and posting books the last few days. All ordered books have been parcelled up and can be collected from me at the Post Office. There are still a number of books that are available for purchase if you find you need one.

CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES

Mass at Quandialla 10.00am

December 14th

Liturgy at Bribbaree 6.00pm

1st & 3rd Saturday of each month

Liturgy at Quandialla 10.00am

4th Sunday of each month

Please Note: A Christmas Vigil Mass will be celebrated at Bribbaree on the 24th December at 7.00pm

QUANDIALLA FRIDAY NIGHT JACKPOTS: The Bland Hotel Joker Jackpot will be \$340 this Friday. The Quandialla Bowling Club Members Draw came to Quandialla again last week but that member was not in attendance, this week it has jackpotted to \$1100.

NEWS from the QUANDIALLA BOWLING CLUB

CLUB PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIPS – 1st round is to be played on Sunday 14th December, 2.00 pm start.

CHRISTMAS TREE & COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS PARTY – The annual Christmas Tree for members children and Community Christmas Party will be held on Sunday 21st December at 6.00 pm. All welcome. Ladies a plate to share please.

ANNUAL HEADER DRIVERS v TRUCKIES BOWLS CHALLENGE will be held on Sunday 28th December.

CHRISTMAS MAILBOX & TOWN SCENE COMPETITION

You are invited to display those great ideas by turning your mailbox or front lawn into a Christmas Themed Display. Judging will take place in the week prior to the Community Christmas Party on Sunday 21st December where the winners will be announced.



ST MARK'S ANGLICAN CHURCH would like to welcome all to our "Christmas Service" on Sunday 7th December, 6 – 7 pm.

WHAT'S ON Quandialla Swimming Centre DECEMBER 2014

Mon 1 st	Intensive swim, QCS CPS BPS 9am-2pm QCS sport 2-3pm
Tues 2 nd	Lap swim 8-9am Intensive swim, QCS CPS BPS 9am-2pm Aqua Fitness 7-8pm
Wed 3 rd	Intensive swim, QCS CPS BPS 9am-2pm AASC 3.30-4.30pm
Thurs 4 th	Swim club 6-7pm Intensive swim, QCS CPS BPS 9am-2pm AASC 3.30-4.30pm
Fri 5 th	Aqua fitness 8-9am Intensive swim, QCS CPS BPS 9am-2pm Swim club 6-7pm
Sat 6 th	Family picnic Postponed 'til the 20 th of December.....
Mon 8 th	Intensive swim QCS CPS 9-11.30am Pre-school water safety talk 11.30-12pm QCS sport 2-3pm
Tues 9 th	Lap swim 8-9am Intensive swim QCS CPS 9-11.30am Aqua fitness 7-8pm
Wed 10 th	Intensive swim QCS CPS 9-11.30am AASC 3.30-4.30pm Swim club 6-7pm
Thurs 11 th	Intensive swim QCS CPS 9-11.30am AASC 3.30-4.30pm
Fri 12 th	Aqua fitness 8-9am Intensive swim QCS CPS 9-11.30am Swim club 6-7pm
Tues 16 th	Lap swim 8-9am Aqua fitness 7-8pm
Wed 17 th	QCS pool party BPS pool party END OF SCHOOL Swim club 6-7pm
Fri 19 th	Aqua fitness 9-10am Swim club 6-7pm
Sat 20 th	FAMILY PICNIC OPEN 'TIL LATE..
Tues 23 rd	Lap swim 9-10am Aqua fitness 7-8pm
Wed 24 th	Swim club 9-10am
Fri 26 th	Aqua fitness 9-10am NO SWIM CLUB!!
Tues 30 th	Lap swim 9-10am Aqua fitness 7-8pm
Wed 31 st	Swim club 9-10am

Enquiries; 63471304 (if we are not in; please leave a clear message for a return call)

Aqua fitness can also be run at separate times for groups of 4 or more. Please contact Kim: 0427472152

Thank you, from the Quandialla Pool Committee, Management & Staff

BLAST FROM THE PAST Extracts from IDLE CHATTER

Extract from IDLE CHATTER NO. 215 THURS FEB 21st 1966
SWIMMING POOL – Sixteen people attended the swimming pool committee’s meeting held on Friday night. Parents with families of children were conspicuous by their absence. Slides were shown of a pool at Binalong together with all the facts necessary to get down to business. What the meeting lacked in numbers was made up by the enthusiasm shown. The most astounding fact to emerge from the meeting is that only 70000 gals of water is needed for a full season’s operations. So the matter of water turns out to be one of the minor difficulties after all. The people of Binalong are to be complimented for their achievement because they have four or more swimming pools operating within thirty miles or so, and those in opposition to the scheme said that the district could not support such an ambitious project. Figures were disclosed which proved just how wrong the opposition was. A plan is to be drawn up, enquiries as to the site available will be made. Approximate costs and other details will be presented at the next meeting and if you really want your children to get a pool and if you would really like to see your town improve ---- then you’ll be there. Values of everything will improve as more amenities are made available to the town and district. I make the prophecy – “The swimming pool will eventuate”. I say that because the committee has youth on its side and a keenness rarely found in a modern day project.

FLORRIE PENFOLD – Quite a number of people are still not aware that this lady is in the local hospital. Mrs Penfold had a fall and has not been able to walk for some time. She is progressing very well but will be in the hospital for some time yet. She walked a few steps at the weekend and she would I am sure be pleased to see you if you cared to call. Arthur has bought himself a new Vauxhall and is only waiting for Mrs Penfold to be discharged so that he may go for an extended visit to the coast. Get well soon Mrs Penfold and let Arthur get that brightly coloured job off the streets....

Cheers everyone.....**Sue Priestley**